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SUBJECT: REPORT TO NATO MINISTERS ON MEDITERRANEAN SITUATION

REF: USNATO 5873

1. AD HOC DRAFTING GROUP MET FOR THREE HOURS ON DECEMBER 4 IN ATTEMPT TO RESOLVE THE CONTROVERSY OVER ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE TO PARAGRAPH 56 SUBJECT REPORT. U.S. AND FRENCH REP CONTINUED NEGOTIATIONS FOR ONE ADDITIONAL HOUR. IN THE END THE FOLLOWING FORMULATION WAS AGREED UPON AD REFERENDUM: "THIS CONSTANT SOVIET ATTITUDE ENGENDERED SERIOUS RISKS OF INTERNATIONAL TENSION WITH IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNTRIES OF THE ALLIANCE (POUR LES PAYS DE L'ALLIANCE)". THIS LANGUAGE IS TO BE CONSIDERED AT THE DEC 5 COUNCIL MEETING.

2. IF FRENCH AND OTHERS DO NOT OBJECT, MISSION PLANS TO RAISE
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NO OBJECTION TO THIS COMPROMISE.

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